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In re U.S. Utility Patent Application of

SHASKEY, Mark S., Sr.

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Appln. No. 10/671,974

Examiner: Dean J. Kramer

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For: APPARATUS TO FACILITATE THE HOLDING OF LARGE BOTTLE WITHOUT
INTEGRAL HANDLES

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the final Official Action dated 6 July 2005, and in conjunction with the
Request for Continued Examination filed concurrently herewith, please enter and consider the
following amendments: